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Attorney Docket No.	04983.0216.NPUS01/38-10(15810)B US
First Named Inventor or Application Identifier	HAUGE
Title	Nucleic Acid Molecules and Other Molecules Associated with Soybean Cyst Nematode Resistance
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. ☒ *Fee Transmittal Form (Form PTO-1082)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 130]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the Invention
 - Cross References to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
 - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claims
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
- ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 1]
- Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 6]
- a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)
[Note Box 5 below]
- i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named
in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and
1.33(b).
- ☐ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy
of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered
as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application
and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)
- a. ☒ Computer Readable Copy
- b. ☒ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
(1,313 pages)
- c. ☒ Statement verifying identity of above
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
11. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☒ Copies of IDS Citations
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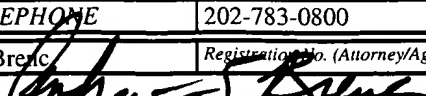
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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventors: **Brian M. HAUGE *et al.***

For: **Nucleic Acid Molecules and Other Molecules Associated with Soybean Cyst Nematode Resistance**

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 1 sheet of informal drawings (Figures 1 and 2).
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to Monsanto Company
- ☒ Form PTO-1595.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (including Form PTO-1449 (2 pages), and 14 accompanying documents)
- ☒ Executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application (6 total pages).

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Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S.
Patent and Trademark Office:

1. Utility Patent Application Transmittal (PTO/SB/05);
2. Form PTO-1082 (in duplicate);
3. U.S. Utility Patent Application entitled:

**Nucleic Acid Molecules and Other Molecules Associated with Soybean Cyst
Nematode Resistance**

and naming as inventors:

**Brian M. HAUGE, Ming Li WANG, Jeremy D. PARSONS, and Laurence D.
PARNELL,**

the application consisting of:

- a. A specification containing:
 - (i) 119 pages of a description prior to the claims;
 - (ii) 10 pages of claims (72 claims);
 - (iii) 1 page an abstract; and

- (iv) 1,313 pages of a sequence listing; and
- b. 1 sheet of drawings (Figures 1 and 2);
4. A CD-ROM containing the sequence listing;
 5. Statement Regarding Sequence Submission;
 6. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, executed by inventors Brian M. Hauge, Ming Li Wang, and Laurence D. Parnell (3 pages);
 7. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, executed by inventor Jeremy D. Parsons (3 pages);
 8. Information Disclosure Statement;
 9. Form PTO-1449 (2 pages), with 14 accompanying documents;
 10. Form PTO-1595 (Recordation Form Cover Sheet) (including authorization to charge the recordation fee to counsel's Deposit Account);
 11. Assignment, executed by Brian M. Hauge, Laurence D. Parnell, and Ming Li Wang (3 pages);
 12. Assignment, executed by Jeremy D. Parsons (2 pages);
 13. Our Check No. 343874 in the amount of \$2,686.00 to cover the basic filing fee and extra claims fee; and
 14. Two (2) return postcards.

This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of U.S. Application No. 60/174,880, filed January 7, 2000.

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Enclosures